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Bill Feels Sad

(With apologies to Edgar W. Nye)

Editor: Rockyford Reporter.

Once more I am on my native beach and take up the burden of life again. I laid it down when I left the dear old farm for California last year. I had been here since I went away. Nothing at all this writing the last question has about the same appearance that it had fourteen years ago. I return to this country sad and depressed. When I crossed the line I had to borrow money, to pay \$2 25 per cent duty on articles that I had been smart enough I could have smuggled in. I hurried to the bank to get the American money I had left over changed into Canadian money. I found in the paper that the exchange rate was 10 per cent. I thought this was right because when I tried to change my Canadian currency into American money down in California, the fellow charged me 20 per cent discount, although my Alberta paper for that said that exchange was 15 per cent. He said I had to pay this extra as a margin as there was no telling when the Government would change the rate. Victory Loan. What was my surprise and indignation when a consumptive looking young man, with a pompous smug look from his classical brow with bang grease, informed me my American paper money was only worth four per cent extra and my silver dollars, those awful, heavy, cumbersome silver dollars that I had taken with me over two thousand miles and lost was only in the pockets of my best Sunday trousers were worth only half value! I felt exasperated. I talked it over with my boy, Henry, and he explained the whole matter to me. He said the whole thing would come clear to me in a minute. He took me to the bank, where it just comes to me. I have been farming it now for several years and I can say of the truth that it is a healthy and honest life and by industry and good care I have been able to keep two jumps at the least, about as many of the most successful farmers in the county. I am very seldom milked, although we do sometimes milk neighbors who may in my farmhouse but merely to preserve their health. We make our money by hard knocks and we are situated so we can get together to form trusts for our own protection. Sometimes our government takes pity on our struggling condition and forms Wheat Boards so that the Miller may not be accused of their proper dividends. We are the only class of people who do not raise a riot or throw bombs when we are imposed upon, and yet when a savings bank busts, if you will analyze the cause, you will find that the farmer's money has been loaned on speculation in order that other professions or trades may have the capital to enable on the price of the farmers' wheat. Last summer, my boy Henry (Continued on inside page)

War Veterans Meeting

The regular meeting of the Strathmore G.W.V.A. was held in the dining room of the King Edward Hotel on Thursday evening last. President Douglas French in the chair. There was a fairly good attendance of returned men.

The declaration of principles, as adopted by the G.W.V.A. Convention in March, was adopted.

Soldiers May Settle in Irrigated Land

One of the comrades present, who has for some time been endeavoring to secure an irrigated farm near Strathmore, under the soldiers' settlement Act, said that the Soldiers' Settlement Board would not allow soldiers to settle on irrigated land, and gave reasons therefor. The objection to soldiers buying irrigated land had been raised by the Government.

New Secretary

Comrade H. Forward landed in his resignation as secretary of the Association, owing to pressure of other work. As Comrade Forward could not be induced to reconsider his decision, his resignation was accepted with regret, and Comrade P. Nelsen was elected in his stead.

Oddfellows' Hall

It was decided to take a lease of the new Oddfellows' Hall above Mr. Brown's store, for four nights per month. An offer had been made of rooms above the Palace Bakery, but owing to the expense of refitting and furnishing, the Association felt that they could not consider it.

Memorial Hall

Preliminary work for the Memorial Hall canvass, which is to take place in June, was left in the hands of the Hall and Finance Committee to arrange. The canvass should have taken place early last winter, but owing to the state of the roads had to be left till after seeding.

The regular meeting of Strathmore G.W.V.A. will be held on the third Tuesday in each month.

Beavis Convicted

Strathmore's Short Term Policeman

Awaiting Sentences

Reuben H. Beavis, former soldier officer for the town of Strathmore, was convicted on Wednesday, before Magistrate Sanders in police court on a charge of attempting to procure an abortion. He was committed until Tuesday, May 18 for sentence.

Beavis is the individual who some weeks ago was appointed town constable. Strathmore and two days afterwards was arrested by T. A. P. Ford and taken to Calgary on a charge of obtaining money by false pretences. Two of these charges were dismissed and two withdrawn, but as stated above, he has been convicted of a more serious charge, the hearing of which was in camera.

Beavis has been wearing the uniform of the Strathmore police, but this was taken from him Tuesday afternoon following his conviction and he is now out on \$500 bail, pending the sentence of the court. The illegal operation and administration of drugs was made on a young girl whose condition is stable, but in the army. It was stated in the evidence that the girl's friend understood from Beavis that he was a doctor.

The Ashes Case

A complaint has been laid by Mrs. Ames Chase against Mr. James Luck, when it has been a difficult matter to make money in feeding beef.

Much indignation has been expressed in this case, and the attendance of the public is likely to be large. A counter charge is being laid by Mrs. Luck against Mr. Chase. This will be heard the same day.

Soldiers May Purchase Irrigated Land

The landmark that has existed since the passing of the Soldiers' Settlement Act, and which has prevented soldiers taking advantage of the Act and settling on irrigated land, has now been removed, a local discharged man who has been making application for the purchase of some irrigated land with in three miles of town having been so informed. The change in the working of the Act took place on April 1st. Up till that time it was impossible for any returned man to buy irrigated land in this district, unless with his own money, the Board refusing to loan money on any land which carried a water right.

There had been many complaints made against this provision, and some soldiers who wished to settle here have been forced to seek other localities. Strathmore G.W.V.A. forwarded a resolution in regard to this, which was taken up at the Convention at Montreal, and passed on to the Government, and the Government with the manifest injustice of the position has probably led to a reconsideration of the position.

The Board's loan is limited to \$5000, with an additional \$2000 for improvements and stock. The loan had to be repaid in twenty years time. The intending settler has to pass an examination as to his proficiency as an agriculturist, and to be recommended by three successful farmers.

Wheat Seeding Almost Completed

Some Wheat Now Up

With the very favorable weather of the past two weeks, seeding has been going on continuously throughout the district from daylight to dark, and the acreage in will, not after all, be so much less than had been contemplated.

The most condition of the soil, as stated by the warm weather, has speeded up germination, and the wheat soon in days ago is already showing above the surface.

Ons and Barley are now being sown and some farmers are already commencing seeding this week. A large amount of plowing is also in progress at present.

As showing the difference in the amount of moisture as compared with previous seasons, some of the summer fallow has to be gone over with a cultivator to open it up, where usually in the spring summerfallow has sometimes to be gone over with a packer.

Perry and Arthur Waddy on Thursday evening finished seeding 500 acres on wheat on Mr. Harold Biles, farm north-west of town. They started on April 26th, and though interrupted by snow and frost at the end of April, and wet spots, they did not really get into the spring in a large scale till the beginning of May.

With continued warm weather till the end of the month, the crop will generally be as far ahead as they were at the end of May last year. However, a larger portion will be sown in stable, but if there is ample moisture for the remainder of the season, this should give good returns, when it is to be made a gamble than the ordinary method.

Exchange constituted a large proportion of the ration and contributed to the financial success of this feeding enterprise in a season when the price of all feed stuffs is high, and when it has been a difficult matter to make money in feeding beef.

OPERA HOUSE, STRATHMORE
Wednesday, June 2nd
"WHERE ARE MY CHILDREN?"

Come To Town May 24th

Baseball Season Opens

Victoria Day, Monday, May 24, is a public holiday, and all stores and places of business will be closed. Strathmore will celebrate the day by opening the local baseball season with a double header with Standard. The first game will be played at 2:30 p.m., and the second at 6 p.m. Manager Lodwell figures on having a good lineup for the locals, with Lefty Brown in the box, and Standard promises to have a good team this season.

Mayor Lambert will formally open the proceedings by pitching the first ball, which will be caught by Rev. T. Phelps, and umpired by Rev. Henry Montgomery. This alone will be worth the price of admission. The diamond in good shape now, a lot of work having been put in on it since the spring opening with graders and scrapers.

Strathmore Citizens Band will provide music at both games, this being its first appearance in public since reorganization.

In the evening a big dance will be held in the Opera House. A good time is assured for most of the day and night as well, as everybody comes and see the ball season off to a good start.

Extensions to Telephone Staff and Equipment

To cope with the increasing amount of business being handled in Strathmore Telephone Exchange, a new and larger switchboard is being provided. This will probably be installed during the present week.

At the same time the staff has been increased to four operators, these are: Miss Baker, chief operator; Misses Eile Anderson, Helen Montgomery, and Miss Pope, night operator. Miss Baker is from Carmanville, and Miss Pope from Blackie. Miss Vera Lambert had been offered the position of local agent, but did not accept it, owing to having been on the job since the exchange opened, and feeling the need of a rest and a holiday. Miss Lambert is due to Miss Lambert, Mrs. Lambert and the staff for the summer in which they have performed the duties of the exchange since its inception here, particularly since the new lines were installed to Drumheller and Bassano, which have entailed an enormous pressure of work with insufficient equipment. When the new switchboard is installed it will add to the speed in getting long distance calls through. Two operators will now be on duty during the busy hours of the day.

Public Health Nurse Here

Miss E. M. Giblin, graduate nurse, appointed under the provisions of the Public Health Act, is now in Strathmore making an inspection of the children of Strathmore School, and following that the rural schools in the district will probably be visited. This work is being done under the direction of the Department, and the means of extending the inspection of children, which had been formerly only done in the cities, towns, villages, and rural schools.

A public meeting, to be addressed by Miss Giblin, will be held in the auditorium of the First Church on Tuesday, May 25, when parents and nurses interested are invited to be present.

Memorial Tablet To Harold Wright

Unveiled at Cookshire on May 1st.

Local people will generally remember the late Mr. Harold Armstrong Wright, brother of Mr. Thomas E. Wright, who emigrated from Strathmore in 1915, and was killed in action in 1916.

The following account of the unveiling of a memorial tablet in his honour is taken from the "Sheepskin Daily Record":

COOKSHIRE, QUE.—A handsome bronze tablet was unveiled recently in St. Peter's Church in memory of the late Private Harold Armstrong Wright, 21st Alberta Regiment. The service was most impressive and was attended by about thirty returned officers and soldiers in uniform, classmates of the late soldier, and many friends of the family. The ceremony of dedication was performed by the Rev. Ian A. R. Macdonald, who gave an appropriate address and hymns fitting to the occasion were rendered by the choir with Miss George as soloist at the organ. The memorial tablet which was given by the deceased soldier's family, was unveiled by the Rev. Ian A. R. Macdonald. The tablet, which bears the crest of the 21st Overseas Battalion, C. E. F. is inscribed thus: "In loving memory of Harold A. Wright, born September 16th, 1882. Killed in action at Comellette, September 27th, 1916."

The late Private Harold Armstrong Wright was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Saul Wright of this town. He was born at Sisseton on September 16th, 1882 and received his education at Cookshire Academy. During the Boer war he was attached to the Royal Canadian Regiment at Halifax and was on active duty for eighteen months. He afterwards went to Strathmore, Alta., where he was engaged in business with his brother, Mr. Thomas Wright. In August, 1915 he enlisted in the 56th Cavalry Battalion in the machine gun section and called for salaried March 29th, 1916. When the famous 21st Alberta Regiment was almost entirely wiped out in France, drafts of reinforcements were called from England, and the 56th Battalion, to which Private Wright was attached, left for France on May 24th, 1916, and he was wounded during the heavy fighting at Ypres salaried in June. He was reported missing at the taking of Comellette on the Somme, 27th, September, 1916, and officially reported killed. He was credited by his widow, who was prior to her marriage, Miss Ingeborg Skirrick of Leamington, Ont., and young daughter, Edith Wright. Among the relatives present at the unveiling were: Mrs. Wright, Miss Edith Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Wright, Misses Eleanor, Doris and Hilda Wright, all of Montreal; and Mr. Geo. Plamante.

Cheer Up

Where are the bright spring mornings? When sunshine shone and singing birds sang. And folks grinned gaily? Where are the days we used to fling our spring coats open wide. Take off our hats and wag our brows—So hot we nearly died? Where are the hoos and rakes and the ten-cent shave—and hay. But ere a few things left us yet? Wherever else way on. And every day fresh snow.

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School Board Meeting

A meeting of the Strathmore School Board was held last Thursday evening, all the members being present. Miss Catherine Chrysal was engaged to take charge of the primary room till the end of present term, in room of Miss Maxwell, who was called away some time ago to her home in New Brunswick on account of the death of her mother.

Cause of Low Marks

A discussion took place in regard to the cause of the low percentages of some of the pupils, and the opinion was expressed that it was due to attendance at dances, movies and other evening entertainments, which were a great obstacle to educational progress.

The ringing of the school bell morning and noon was advocated.

A heavy windstorm on Monday set the dust flying, and did some damage to chimneys and fences in town and country.

Double Votes this Week

In Phonograph Competition

During the progress of the Ode Cant Sale on Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week in the Rexall Drug Store, double votes will be given on all articles purchased.

The following is the standing of the candidates, as shown by Monday's count of the vote in the ballot box:

Doris Gardiner	121450
Edith Martin	116235
Ruth Sims	30885
Grace Anderson	12250
Jean Flecker	15145
Alice Way	6200
Doris Dobson	2510
Prada Schanell	9620
Samuela Scherer	7290
Sarah Miller	2210
Helen Miller, Cheridie	1110
Isabel Newell, Nightingale	1069
Vera Lambert	1060

All the candidates have an even chance yet. The roads are good now, and they can amass a big total of votes in a day's canvass if they will start right after it. The double votes this week in the Rexall Store will also be keenly sought after.

Trees On The Prairie

It was in 1901 that the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior began to send out trees to the farmers in the prairie provinces to plant shelterbelts about their holdings and fields. Since that time over fifty million seedlings & cuttings have been sent out from the Dominion Forest Nursery Station at Indian Head, and the branch nursery recently established near Saskatoon. The success of this plan in the distribution of trees is shown not only in the increasing use made of it by farmers of the prairie provinces, but also the fact that this system of free distribution has been copied either as it stands or in a modified form by other important administrative bodies. The provinces of Ontario and Quebec, although their conditions are very different from those of the prairie provinces, have applied the plan in a modified form to farmers woodlots. The United States Department of Agriculture, after a careful study of the system in Canada, applied it to the prairie states. At present several thousand farmers in the Canadian West are receiving trees annually, and this number will doubtless now be increased seeing that the war is over, and the farmers have more time.

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The Robbery

"To cash I spent on this DEAR boy a part of a price to me; I count my dwelling place each day. The Robbery? The Robbery? Each straw a feed; each feed a prayer To fill a cow with hunger woe. I count each straw until the end. And there the haling wire is hung. O! old cow's hides that freeze and burn."

O! old cow's hides that freeze and burn. I stretch row hard and strive at last to learn To kiss the man who struck me with the hay—Pinecher Creek Echo.

Daily beef averaging \$10.00 per head, with the age averaging 12 months and the weight 21 pounds, is the sale made this week by the meat and agriculture and stock branch of the C.P.R. Department of Natural Resources, Calgary. The sale composed 28 head from the company's supply farm at Strathmore, the price being \$15.25 per 100.

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Rehabilitating the World

The Supreme Council of the League of Nations is making substantial progress with the difficult task entrusted to it of disentangling the complex races which for so long have been held subject to the Sultan under the tyranny of the despotic and murderous Turks. Europe and Asia present many international, racial and religious problems, but none quite so difficult of solution as that of the old Turkish empire. It is easy to criticize Great Britain and France because of the decision to leave the Turks in Constantinople, but it is not so easy to outline an alternative policy likely to prove successful and not provoke a still more serious situation, and one that might have far-reaching results of a disastrous character. However, the power of the Turk is destroyed, and an end is in sight to the long chapter of Ottoman misrule, rapine and murder.

Having been rescued from the domination of the Turks by the victorious British armies, Palestine and Mesopotamia have been entrusted to Great Britain to be administered under a mandate from the League of Nations, and a national home for the Jews is being established under the protection of the Union Jack. France is given a mandate for the administration of Syria, and the United States has been asked to accept the mandate for oppressed and downtrodden peoples.

Thus to the three most powerful of the allied nations, those enjoying the most democratic forms of government, and actuated by the loftiest ideals, is given the humane and civilizing work of bringing a new era of happiness and prosperity to millions of people who for centuries have been little more than slaves, with life and property in hourly danger of extinction by the irresponsible Turk.

In this column last week reference was made to the agonizing problems which must be solved by the people of Canada, and it is possible that before this appears in print the budget will have been presented at Ottawa and the policy of the Government indicated as to how the national obligations are to be met. It is inevitable that there must be a further increase in taxation, and Canadians must be prepared for it. But grave as our position in Canada may be, and heavy the burdens to be borne, they are slight in comparison to those of other lands and peoples.

The German budget was recently presented to the Reichstag. The financial burden which the people of Germany must meet in some form or another this year reaches the stupendous total of \$2,500,000,000 marks, or, roughly speaking, \$1,000,000,000, or more than four times the gross national debt of Canada. Dr. Wirth, the German Finance Minister, frankly admits he is at a loss to know how the

money is to be raised or where it is to come from.

Italy is carrying an enormous debt. It was heavy before the war, and has been increased many times over. The government and people are meeting it courageously, and a loan of 200,000,000 lire has just been raised by the Italian people.

France, too, has recently floated a loan among its own people of 1,000,000,000 francs, or an amount equal to the national debt of Canada. The French parliament is now engaged in passing measures which will enormously increase the taxation imposed on the French people.

With a national debt of approximately \$40,000,000,000, Great Britain has started on the great task of paying it off. No further borrowings will be made, but taxation is being substantially increased. This year British revenue is estimated at \$7,000,000,000, or more than double our national debt. This great revenue will provide for a reduction in the British national debt of \$1,000,000,000, while in 1921 it is estimated that a further reduction of \$1,500,000,000 will be made.

Canada has not yet made a start at debt reduction; on the contrary the debt is still increasing. This must stop, and the work of liquidation of the national debt begun. It can only be accomplished by this Dominion following the example of other countries, curtailing expenditure and ever possible and increasing revenues by increasing taxation. The people must be prepared for this and must accept it without any complaint. There is no other way out. The longer the debt is allowed to stand, the heavier the burden will become. People realize this in their individual affairs; they must appreciate the fact that it is equally true in their national business.

Notwithstanding the wholesale destruction of the last five years, and the enormous burden of war and taxation which must now be borne, the world is still the gainer, because the Great War was the operation whereby a small host of military and naval armaments was cut out of the world's body. The cost of the operation must now be paid for, but the cure affected will give renewed life and vigor to the world, and, by relieving it of an intolerable burden, will ultimately add to its prosperity and the comfort and happiness of all people.

THE BEST MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Thousands of mothers state positively that Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine they know of for their children. Their experience has taught them that the Tablets answer to just what is claimed for them for all children, with perfect safety to children of all ages. Consider the words of Dr. Joseph Thiering, St. Gabriel de Brandon, Que., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine I know of for little ones. I thought I would lose my baby before trying the Tablets but they soon made him healthy and happy and I would not be without them. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

Buy Alberta Ranching Lands
A tract of land containing 3,338 acres, near Vermilion, has been purchased by the Big Bend Land & Cattle Company of Spokane, Wash., from the Vermilion Land and Ranching Company, for approximately \$130,000. The company, which operates large tracts of land in the United States and Canada, intends placing a large herd of well-bred cattle on the land this summer as well as developing part of it for grain growing.

Trumpets were in use at the time of Honor.

CURE COWS' CAKED BAGS

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Tractors for Road Making

Consent of Government to Use Tractors Free of Duty

J. F. Johnson, M.P. for Lethbridge, who has had several interviews with the minister of customs in an endeavor to get the government to allow municipalities to import tractors for road-making purposes free of duty and also to allow farmers who own tractors to use them for road-making purposes, has been advised that the government has decided this wishes in respect to the latter. A circular has been issued to the customs officers, which will permit farmers who own tractors which have been brought in free of duty for farm purposes to use them in road making within their own municipality.

OH! EACH DAY A LITTLE MORE

Hurry! Let "Dandarine" save your hair and double its beauty



To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications the hair surely stops coming out and you will find your hair growing and becoming soft, glossy and abundant.

The Need of Fleets

World Needs A Country That Is Prepared to Testify to its Faith In the League of Nations

Even after the United States had declared war on Germany there was a tendency on the part of the United States party department—If Admiral Sims is to be believed—to allow unduly British sentiment to embarrass the close co-operation that the situation demanded. It is clear, however, that the practical realities of a few elderly men can do no more estrange the two great English-speaking nations than can the antipathies of a few American and German-American politicians, if the mass of the citizens in each country is determined that national good-will must be the basis of their international relations. What the world needs badly at the present moment is a country that is prepared to testify to its faith in the League of Nations by some overt act involving the reduction of its ability to strike at its political enemies. No nation is in a better position to do this than Great Britain, and no nation can better apply the money so saved constructively, as opposed to destructive, effort. A comparatively large army we must have for many years to come. If we are to perform our international obligations and compel our beaten enemies to live up to their Great Britain we are not now armed any more than the United States needs them, and, unlike the United States, we cannot afford them. The proud traditions of the navy can well be preserved by strict attention to quality rather than to quantity. A great war between any powers, especially between Great Britain and the United States—is out of the question for another twenty years. By that time the Armadas of today will all be ready for the scrap-heap. What a pity, then, to waste the money.—The Irish Times.

Exports From Alberta

An increase of approximately seven million dollars in exports to the United States from Alberta in 1919, is shown in the report of the United States consul at Calgary. Cattle, wool, grain, butter and tallow, constituted the chief articles of export.

Imported

"Your daughter has a great deal of savior face, Mrs. Consue." "Yes, we imported it for her all the way from Paris.—Illustrated American.

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To Superannuate Civil Servants

Retiring Fund Provided For In Proposed Ontario Legislation

Retirement from office of all civil servants who have reached the age of 70 years, is provided in a superannuation bill which was introduced by Premier Durney in the Ottawa legislature. All employees who are over 30 years in the service, or who are over 65 years of age, may be retired either at the option of the government or themselves. Superannuation allowances to a maximum of \$2,000 yearly will be paid such retiring employees.

The superannuation fund will be made up by contributions from the civil service and the government. Employees will be required to pay into the fund a portion of their salary, ranging from 3.4 percent to 8 percent, according to age.

Employees under 25 pay the minimum and the rate increases for older employees.

The government will pay into the fund an amount equal to that deducted from employees' salaries, and will pay interest upon the fund at five percent. The province will bear the cost of administration of the scheme.

Cause of High Prices

The Cure Is Beyond the Power of the Legislators

The figures given in the Statist show that the cost of living is still increasing, and that the cases of 45 representative commodities the present price is three times that of 1913.

In the main the rise is due to more fundamental causes, and the cure is beyond the powers of legislators. The world during the four years has developed a great deal of its energies to the destruction of life and property. It has ceased to devote its surplus produce to new productive developments; it has used up that surplus and pledged its credit, and has nothing to show for its efforts except an escape from a political peril. Until production recovers and credit is restored, and money and goods cannot be moved back towards the normal.—The Westminster Gazette.

SHORT OF BREATH Could Hardly Walk

Without Resting.

When you go to a physician to be examined for any heart trouble, one of the first questions he asks is: "Are you short of breath?"

Now, when the heart becomes affected there ensues a feeling of a choking, shortness of breath, irregular beating, smothering sensation, dizziness and a weak, sinking, all-gone feeling of oppression and anxiety.

On the other side of the heart being weak or the nerves unregulated, and stimulate the heart, and strengthen and restore the waste of nerve system.

Dr. J. H. Crooke, East Clifford, N.S., writes: "I suffered for five years with heart trouble. I could hardly walk from the house to the barn without resting, at I used to get so short of breath. Doctors could not help me. My wife told me to get a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and I felt better after taking them; three boxes made me quite well. I am now helping my son to work the farm, and can truthfully say I feel like a different man."

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Stock Raising in B.C.

Breeders of the Province Are Going In For Purebred Cattle

The breeding of purebred stock for export, is believed to be a coming industry in British Columbia. Development of this new industry is bringing new herders into the province. New herds are being brought together, the owners of which have a guarantee that there will be an abundant market for blue-blooded cattle, not only locally and in the other provinces and adjoining states, but as well in Hawaii, Australia and New Zealand.

Several head of purebred Holstein cattle have been sent to Australia from British Columbia recently, and it is said that Australian stockmen are planning to send their representatives to Canada for the purpose of securing registered Hereford, Holstein and Jersey cattle.

Elevator at Portage La Prairie

The Saskatchewan Elevator Company have purchased a site at Portage La Prairie to build an elevator with a capacity of a million bushels, and a flour mill will be added later.

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World's Wheat Supplies

Estimated at 50,500,000 Tons From 1920 Crop

According to cable advices from London, the commissioner on wheat supplies estimates the yield from Canada, Australia, New Zealand, the United States, Argentina, Algeria, Rumania and India, will be 50,500,000 tons. These figures, submitted to the British Board of Trade, refer to the 1920 crop. The import wheat and rye requirements of the United Kingdom are given as 5,700,000 tons, and South Africa 100,000.

Development at Prince Rupert

New York capital has secured control of the lease of the Prince Rupert dock and plans big development work, included in which is the construction of twenty large oil tank steamers to cost approximately \$30,000,000.

Prominent Britisher Buys Farm

J. J. Denholm, secretary of Lord Reading, Lord Chief Justice of England, is buying a farm in the Lloydminster district from the Canadian Pacific Railway and will engage in mixed farming, which has made the district so prosperous and widely known.

Takes Less for the Job-and Wears Longest on the Job

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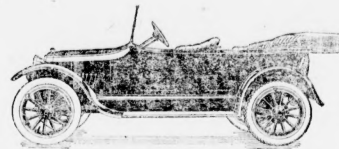
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PROPRIETOR

**Stop, Look,
Listen; Use
More Care**Tons of Steel are Harder to Stop Than
Any Motor Car MadeCareless and thoughtless driving of
motor cars have cost the lives of many
people and millions of dollars annually. The
railroads of both countries have been
forced to pay out large sums of money
in damages.It should be remembered by all driv-
ers of motor cars that a train has to
run on tracks and that a motor car
has a certain amount of freedom in
this regard. It should be remembered
that a motor car can be stopped within
a few feet while it often takes far
more than one hundred yards for a
train to stop. Always look before cross-
ing a railroad and be sure to approach
the crossing at a speed such that al-
ways you perfect control of your mach-
ine.The growing list of fatalities from
motor cars is alarming. In the United
States it has reached such a stage that
the public is crying out against it and
in some cities some novel plans of
punishment have been put into effect.
In Chicago speeders are sentenced to
make a slow trip through the morgue
under the guidance of a deputy coron-
er. In Youngstown, Ohio, speeders are
sentenced to hold watch beside the
dead body of their victim or at the
hospital bedside of the injured victim.
New York City makes the speeders
go through practically the same pro-
cedure on arrest that they would the
next day in criminal. Photographs and
finger prints are taken and a "rogues"
gallery maintained.**Grand Jury Report**St. Louis gave a splendid example
of how serious the public are concern-
ing this question. In that city a grand
jury was in session for four months
and thousands of a lengthy report sub-
mitted dealt with recommendations
for the safety of the citizens of the
city.Undoubtedly much of these facts
bear on accidents on streets of the
different cities, nevertheless, it shows
how public opinion is shaping in the
United States in regard to careless
drivers. There is no reason in the
world why a driver of a motor car can
not proceed along a city street or a
country road with full control of his
machine. Automobiles are built for
business and pleasure and not for the
purpose of killing people but they are
not fool proof and probably never will
be.The Chicago Tribune, printed an
editorial recently as follows: "In en-
umerating the great number of deaths
and injuries caused by motor car acci-
dents The Tribune is trying to bring
home to the average motorist that
a great majority of mishaps are the
result of carelessness."**Pedestrians Careless**It is an aphorism that an automo-
bilist must not only watch himself but
the other fellows as well. Drivers often
are the victims of the carelessness of
others. And this is just as true of pe-
destrians as motorists.Too many pedestrians fail to ob-
serve the simple precautions of "stop
look and listen." Too many pedestrians
insist upon personal privilege to thepoint of disastrous collisions with an
automobile. A motorist may plausibly
be beyond the rights of speeding, by
thrusting his car over a crossing, or
by driving on the wrong side of the
road. The fact that a motorist
compensates the pedestrian who pe-
destrian in many ways to establish the
penalty of his position and the help-
lessness of motorists.A pedestrian haughtily conscious of
his right to cross the street, will sum-
marily casually, though the pavement be
slippery and though there is not the
slightest assurance that the approach-
ing motor cars of steel, will not resist
the brakes and slide down upon him.
There is no question here of the pe-
destrian's fault, but what principle has
been reinforced after the pedestrian has
been killed or injured?**At Railway Crossings**Investigations have clearly shown
that often motorists will not take
proper precautions at railway cross-
ings, appearing to act in practically
the same manner as the pedestrian.
In the above position, the pedestrian
forget that the train, however, is
made of steel and wood, has perhaps
suffered a vacation since it last
sawped that would either send the
train crashing in the distance, kill
many passengers and doing thousands
of dollars of damage by the sudden
application of brakes, or that it might
not far enough to mean death of all
those in the car, or, at the de-
struction of the car.A swiftly moving train cannot stop
as quickly as a motor car and a pe-
destrian train car is a heavy load on
human freight than any motor car
can do. Motorists should constantly
remember this. They should slow
down and look for approaching trains.
A few moments of a railway means
may save your life. It may save the
lives of many passengers.An engineer will probably be made
null when he tells your motor car
stationary prove that many engineers
become physically unfit for their pe-
sion through just such accidents. It
takes away their forces.According to the annual report of
the National Highway Protective As-
sociation, dated January 1, 1918, there
were 455 persons killed by automo-
biles on the national highways in New
York state including New York city.
In 1912 and 1913 persons killed in 1917
an increase of approximately ten per
cent in five years. The Society's re-
port furnishes good, less railroad
experience and records, that this rail-
road grades crossing situation was
due to recklessness and the assessing
companies, who almost invariably
accompany drivers, and that these are
the factors to be dealt with vigorously
and rigorously if there is to be a
cessation of street and railroad grad-
ing accidents.The alarming increase in the number
of accidents with the approaching shat-
tering of the nerves of the engineers
and their incapacitation for the very
responsible duties of their position
causing the Illinois Central Railway
Company situation aim to have ob-
servations made at certain highway
crossings on their approach to the
purpose of noting the conduct of per-
sons able to cross their track. It
was seen that seventy-five per cent
of the people neither stopped, looked
or listened for approaching trains but
crossing the railway without apparent
by the slightest thought for the safety
of either themselves or anyone else.Strathmore G.W.V.A. Ladies Auxil-
iary will meet in the Oddfellows Hall,
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The Churches

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

Rev. Thos. Phillips, S. T. L. Pastor.

Calendar for this week.

Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Junior Christian
Evensong.
Thursday, 8 p.m. Choir Practice.
Thursday 2 p.m. Ladies Aid Society
at the home of Mrs. McIlhenny.
Friday 4 p.m. Junior Choir Practice.
Services Sunday, May 23rd.
11 a.m. Public worship, Subject: "The
Lord's Supper." Five minutes
address to the young people on "Our
Fidelity."
12 a.m. Sunday School, Lesson: "The
Lord's First King." 1 Samuel 9.
7:25 p.m. Public Worship, Empire Sun-
day, Subject: "Elements of Strength
in Our Empire."

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LIST OF SERVICES

Holy Communion
8:30 a.m. on the 2nd, 4th, and 6th
Sunday in the month.
11 a.m. on 1st and 3rd Sundays of
the month.

Matins and Sermon

11 a.m. Every Sunday.
3 p.m. Sunday School.
4 p.m. Holy Baptism.

Evensong and Sermon

7:30 p.m. Every Sunday.
8:45 p.m. Evensong and Choir practice
every Friday.

One notice will be given of special
services on Festivals and Holy days.
The seats in the Church are free and
unreserved, and everybody, men,
women, and children.

Next Sunday being Whit Sunday,
commemorating the descent of the
Holy Ghost on the day of Pentecost,
Holy Communion will be held at the
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Strathmore, Alberta, May 19th, 1920

G. W. V. A. Declaration Of Principles

The declaration of principles of the G.W.V.A., of which we gave a synopsis herewith, should be of interest to Canadians generally, as well as to members of the G.W.V.A.

The Great War Veterans' Association of Canada, in Convention assembled, realizing the people of this Dominion expect from them a full declaration of the principles for which the Association stands; and that they are justified in this expectation, hereby declare:

1. That the foundation principle upon which this association rests is national service, and that we unreservedly commit ourselves to a standard of service for Canada and the British Empire, in the work of national service; that we shall, as self-sacrificing and as free from personal motives as that rendered by our army overseas.
2. That we adhere ourselves to the common service of our country, acknowledging no pre-eminence in our Association except devotion in the building up of national life.
3. That we respect for our Association and ourselves any claim to special favour based on the military service, simply demanding our just claim as returned citizens of this country to be placed on an equality with our fellow citizens who were not privileged to serve.
4. We hold it to be inherently just, and only worthy of this Great Nation, that the dependents of our deceased comrades, who willingly gave their lives that this land should be free, and our disabled comrades should be free by the government of our country, and ourselves, and our country, and white we deplore the existence of many conditions political, religious, racial and social which are harmful and pernicious, we also realize that lasting betterment can only be brought about by the free expression of the people's will, given in constitutional way. Therefore, we will devote ourselves to the elimination of such unjust conditions, we pledge ourselves to lawful and orderly procedure.
5. We desire to reaffirm our unswerving loyalty to our country, and white we deplore the existence of many conditions political, religious, racial and social which are harmful and pernicious, we also realize that lasting betterment can only be brought about by the free expression of the people's will, given in constitutional way. Therefore, we will devote ourselves to the elimination of such unjust conditions, we pledge ourselves to lawful and orderly procedure.
6. While as an Association we recognize no political affiliation of any kind, we yet urge upon our membership an intelligent interest in all political matters and commend to their support such of our comrades as may from time to time present themselves for political honours, provided always that such candidate pledge himself or herself to the support of just legislation, whether originating within or without the party to which he or she may be attached.
7. The Great War Veterans' Association, by the completion of its harmonious task by the representatives of its both Capital and Labour. Members of each class fought together and died together in France and Flanders. In that common sacrifice all distinctions of race, wealth were blotted out, and the lesson taught us was that devotion to a common cause makes all men brothers. In our current desire for a greater, freer and happier Canada, we offer our services as leaders. We recognize that good on the part of the employer, as the employer has a large share in the production of industrial unrest, and we further recognize that much of this unrest is caused by misunderstanding, sometimes deliberately fomented, which is capable of amicable adjustment. We stand for the recognition of the principle of humanity in industry and labour, for a fair wage for a fair day's work, for a return on capital, which shall be just and equitable, and for such a shortening of the hours of labour as will permit the working man to play his part in the duties and pleasures of a citizen's life, who at the same time enabling him to in-

crease production to the maximum rate.

Sections 8, 9, 10 urge the institution of a comprehensive housing scheme, which will enable each citizen to own his own home, if he so desires; that the natural advantages and resources of Canada should be developed for the benefit of the people as a whole, and not for the speculation; and for a compacter educational system, with special provisions for the education of children of disabled and deceased soldiers, and for the development of a patriotic spirit throughout the schools by teaching the great history and literature of the British Empire, and giving a deeper view of the flag and the ideals it represents.

11. We view with alarm the increasing love of luxury which permeates all classes of our community, and the riotous extravagance everywhere shown in contrast to this modern life, and as a nation first disaster. Our Army fought and our men died to establish forever among the ideals of sacrifice, unselfishness and brotherhood. We therefore protest with all our energy against the extravagance shown in dress and manner as living against the spending of money on unnecessary social affairs and against costly public functions which are of no real value. And this time of national stress, when as a nation we are faced with enormous financial responsibility, we call upon our fellow citizens for plain and economical habits of life. We summon our country to a return to Spartan simplicity.

Standard Items

The local baseball season will open shortly. The Standard team has two games arranged with Lacombe all with the Standard team on Saturday, May 23. The opening game here will be on the 23rd, and a dance under the auspices of the club will be held the same evening in Nookwood Hall, the use of which has been donated for the occasion by Nookwood. Good games are expected and as there has not been a dance in Standard for quite a long period of time, a large local crowd is expected, as well as visitors.

The Standard Cafe recently changed hands, passing from Louis Chang to Louis Chan. The new proprietor proposes renovating the premises and making the cafe quite presentable. Louis Chang has been in connection with the view of starting a restaurant there.

The C.P.R. general change of time came into effect on May 2nd. The correct times for trains on the main line are mentioned elsewhere in this issue. The schedule of the local train remains the same. The Train-Canada No's 7 and 8, on the main line have been resumed.

The Indian Department will have forty-five cottages and forty-five barns built this summer for the use of the Indians on the Blackfoot reserve. The houses and barns are in connection with divisions of farm land which the department is urging the Indians to occupy.

Mrs. L. Christensen, and children Fred and Alex, will leave Standard on May 28th, starting on a visit to Mrs. Christensen's home in England. They will sail on the steamer "Brandenburg," which leaves Montreal on June 1.

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We don't want to advise people coming into town to take their lunches with them, but from the experience of last season, and the fact that the King Edward dining room is reopening, the feeding of the crowds is going to be somewhat of a problem. We hope, however, that before the 24th something can be done to make provisions for the crowds.

OPERA HOUSE, STRATHMORE
Wednesday, June 2nd
"WHERE ARE MY CHILDREN?"

Readers will note that the Standard now consists of twelve pages weekly. We are publishing same amount of local news as formerly, but have concluded an advantageous arrangement with a reprinter concern for a year's supply of paper which enables us to give the additional pages of general news.

The culvert at the back of the elevators is reported to be in bad shape again. Something should be done to endeavor to put it into good shape permanently. It seems to give trouble every spring. There are some other bad spots within the town limits that require attention. If the townspeople want the farmers' business, and there is no doubt they do, they will try and keep the exits and entrances from town to country in good shape.

Messrs Fox and Beach, the new owners of Brand's store, arrived in town last week, and stocktaking is now in full swing. They will take over on the 25th inst.

Mr. A. H. Haines is to be congratulated on the work he has done during the last week in putting the road near his farm in shape by dragging it.

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Beach and Fox

Local Holdings

OF LOCAL INTEREST
Readers are requested to send in items for this column not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon preceding day of publication. All local news items are welcomed by the Standard, Phone 17 or 68.

We have a complaint before us that the school bell is not being rung. The complainants ask: "What is the use of having a bell if it doesn't ring."

The Anglican Women's Guild will hold a Poultry Sale and sale of children's wear, etc., on Saturday, May 22, at the Sample Rooms of the King Edward Hotel. Buy your holiday provisions there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown became the proud parents of another baby child on Thursday. Mr. Brown that day was possessor of a "baby brand" Chevrolet, which he purchased from Mr. Harold Bell.

Owing to Wednesday half-holiday, we would like to have ad. changes in early. We cannot guarantee insertion after Monday noon. The same remarks applies to manuscript contributions.

Mr. Laif, accountant at the Union Bank, was taken ill suddenly with appendicitis on Thursday. He was taken up to Calgary Thursday evening, Dr. Gurin being in attendance, and was operated on shortly after arrival. The operation was successful, and Mr. Laif is making a good recovery.

Everybody in the town who has a car is busy the these days. Strathmore, however, is behind in not having a clean-up day. It is as badly needed here as in any of the towns and cities in which it is being held.

Road conditions are gradually improving and motor traffic is now easy. If seeding was over, it would be possible to get most of the roads straightened while they are still moist, but teams are not available at present, the putting in of the crop being the first consideration.

The bylaw of M.D. Bow Valley relative to stock running at large comes into effect on the first of June, and those throughout the Municipality who own stock would be well advised to study the bylaw, copies of which were sent to every taxpayer previous to its being voted on.

OPERA HOUSE, STRATHMORE
Wednesday, June 2nd
"WHERE ARE MY CHILDREN?"

Rev. T. Phillips and Mr. Joseph Edson were delegates to the Annual District meeting in Calgary on Tuesday.

Rev. Joseph Lee of Calgary was a guest at the paragon over the week end. He preached splendid missionary sermons at both services at the Union Church on Sunday and along with the pastor visited Neuma in the afternoon where he met many old friends, having once served this appointment from Glenora.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies Aid Society last Thursday the officers gave splendid reports of the work done, funds raised, and large increase of membership during the year. The officers elected for coming year are: President—Mrs. J. North, 1st Vice Pres. Mrs. Phillips, 2nd Vice Pres. Mrs. McIlhenny, Secretary, Mrs. Van Buren, Treasurer, Mrs. Foxward.

The committee are to be appointed by the executive.

OPERA HOUSE, STRATHMORE
Wednesday, June 2nd
"WHERE ARE MY CHILDREN?"

Some weeks ago a delegation from the Baseball Club approached the Town Council asking the Council for their help in providing additional seating accommodation, and the improvement of the park, owing to the amount of business at that meeting it was decided to hold a special meeting to consider this, and also the giving of financial assistance to the hand. Enclosed seating accommodation at the park, and a bandstand would be a permanent improvement, and we do not think there would be many who could grudge the slight addition to the taxes which would be necessary to cover this.

Owing to not being able to get their sketch ready in time Strathmore C.W.V.A. have postponed their concert, which was to be held on the 24th, and the time is being taken up by the dance under the auspices of the Baseball Club.

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Mr. W. C. Brown has unloaded this week a carload of the new model Ford. These cars are equipped with the latest improvements in starting, lighting, and equipment, dependable, and show a considerable change on the previous models.

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	Eastbound	Westbound
No. 4, daily	3:51 p.m.	
No. 3, daily		6 p.m.

SOO-PACIFIC Express, Trains 13 and 14, between St. Paul and Vancouver will be resumed, first train from St. Paul May 29, first train from Vancouver May 29th 12:20, taken throughout this area.

For further particulars apply to any Ticket Agent.
J. E. PROCTOR
District Passenger Agent, Calgary.

TRAIN SERVICE

Strathmore, Effective May 2nd.
No. 4 Eastbound 3:51 p.m.
No. 3 Westbound 6:00 p.m.
Trans-Canada
No. 5 Eastbound in Calgary 4:10 p.m.
No. 7 Westbound in Calgary 10:05 a.m.

Weather Report

Supplied by C. P. Irrigation Dept.
From May 11th to May 17th

Date	Min.	Max.	Precipitation.
11	32.5	53.9	.26
12	31.9	67.4	
13	34.2	61.3	
14	35.2	61.3	.65
15	40.6	61.8	
16	38.2	65.9	
17	42.5	66.2	

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Programme of Boy Scout Jamboree

International Jamboree Olympia, July 30th to August 7th, 1920

July 22nd—July 30th—Rehearsals in Olympia.

Friday, July 24th—Press Day and Dress Rehearsal.

Saturday, July 24th, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.—Jamboree open to the general public. Eliminating competitions in the Arena, all sides showing and around slides showing in the theatre.

2.30 p.m. to 5 p.m.—Grand procession in the Arena of Scouts from all the world led by the London Choir of 500 voices. Sea Scout display, highland dancing, fire-fighting, woodcraft, pioneering demonstrations and competitions for the World's Scout Championships.

5 p.m. to 7 p.m.—Same as morning programme.

Sunday, August 1st, 11 a.m.—"Banking-off" service in the grand arena.

7 p.m.—Evening song.

Monday, August 2nd and following days—Same as Saturday.

Bands—"The winners of the International Band Competitions will play selections throughout the day.

Competitions open to Rover, Sea Scouts, Scouts, and Wolf Cubs.

A GROUP. Age limit 18 years.

Team competitions for the World's Scout Championships will be as follows:

1—Scout displays in the Arena. Teams to consist of not less than 24 Scouts and not more than 150 Scouts. Displays may illustrate any of the following subjects, must not take more than 15 minutes to show, and must "fill" the Arena. Marks will largely be given for the most original treatment of the subjects, e.g., fire-fighting, ambulance, accidents of all sorts, such as train collisions, aeroplane accidents, shipwrecks, earthquakes, runaway horses; physical training, cycling and trek cart gymnastics, hut building, bridge building, model camps, rocket drill, fire fighting, cooking and any other original troop or district display.

(Several of the above subjects should be combined in one display.)

2—Tug-of-war, teams of 12 Scouts a side.

3—Olympic Race, teams of three Scouts.

4—Marathon Long Distance Race, finishing in the Arena.

5—Exhibition Competition—Same as at Birmingham, i.e., metal working, shoemaking, carpentry, wall-painting, cooking, gardening, etc. There will also be competitions in boxing, wrestling, climbing.

6—Bugling Competition, open to teams of three buglers.

7—Band competitions, open to Scout Bands or String Bands, Drum and File Bands, and Scouts' Pipe Bands.

B. GROUP. No Age Limit. Individual Competitions.

1—For the best working model of steam engine, oil engine, fire engine, aeroplane, or water mill, etc.

2—For the best collection of stamps of your own country.

3—For the best illustrated Boy Scout diary or scrap book.

4—For the best poster to advertise the Jamboree.

5—For the best arts and crafts exhibit illustrating proficiency badge work, such as model hut, wooden toys, leatherwork, button, walling stick, etc.

C. GROUP. No age limit. Display to illustrate Scoutship and its application.

My Lady Nicotine in Canada



(1) Hanging Tobacco to the Curing Barn. (2) Full Grown White Burley Tobacco in Ontario.

Tobacco culture in Canada is an industry of comparatively recent date. Extensive development has taken place in the past 20 to 30 years, and recent seasons have proved the adaptability of widely separated sections of the Dominion to this very profitable line of agriculture. Since the protective duty of 25 cents per pound has been imposed on all foreign leaf tobaccos, the Canadian industry has received a yet greater stimulus, and interest in the culture is becoming wider and more diversified yearly.

The two principal provinces where tobacco has been successfully grown for many years are Ontario and Quebec. Very successful results have been obtained also at Kelowna, in the Okanagan district of British Columbia and the growing of tobacco may be said to be firmly established as an industry there. Recent experiments in the Lethbridge irrigation district in Southern Alberta, would indicate great possibilities for growth in the prairie provinces.

Tobacco, in Ontario, is grown in the counties of Essex, Pelee, Kent, Prince Edward, Elgin and Lincoln. A total of 9,226 acres among these counties were devoted to the cultivation of the tobacco plant in 1919, producing a yield of 10,709,400 pounds, or an average of 1,150 pounds per acre.

The Burley variety, suitable for chewing, is grown in five counties; seed leaf in Essex, Kent and Lincoln; Maryland tobacco has been introduced into Prince Edward county with success. During the past few years the growing of bright tobacco (fine cured) has extended rapidly on the light sandy loams near the shores of Lake Ontario, and some gravelly hills with good drainage. The annual production of this variety is nearly 1,000,000 pounds, with the yearly demand increasing. A limited amount of seed leaf and fine cured leaf of the heavier type is now grown in certain sections. The cost

of cultivation in the province, including the labor of the grower has been estimated at from \$50 to \$75 per acre, and the average yield about 1,300 lbs. per acre.

The increased demand and the higher prices of recent years have given tobacco growing in Ontario a considerable impetus. The provincial board of agriculture, realizing this, instituted a tobacco station at the Harrow experimental farm, which has done valuable work in proving species of plants adapted to the various soils of the province, and encouraging limited production and improvement in quality rather than a large acreage and mediocre quality, by improved methods of culture.

The tobacco production of the Province of Quebec for the year 1919 was estimated at 10,000,000 pounds and there were 22,048 acres under cultivation. As a tobacco growing area, the French-Canadian province has been coming more to the fore every year. This is illustrated by the fact that in 1911 there were only 12,134 acres devoted to this culture. In the counties of Berthier, Joliette, L'Assomption, Montclair, Portneuf, Richelieu, Rouville, Terrebonne and Verchères, the industry is carried on, on a very large scale. There are federal government stations at Saint-Jacques de Lévis, in the county of Montclair, and at St. Cesaire, Rouville. In many counties the tobacco plant is grown for cigar manufacture. The principal species now being raised, in Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Wisconsin, Connecticut, Minnesota, Spanish, Canby and Peruvian Rose; but greater success is achieved with white burley, such as white burley, red burley, blue burley, yellow prior, better yellow mammoth and Tennessee red.

The planters of the Yukon valley have formed a co-operative society and established at Saint-Cesaire a large warehouse for the curing and sale of Connecticut Spanish tobacco as well as the other varieties.

Important Mineral Find

Valuable Silver Ore Lead Is Opened In British Columbia

A dispatch from Nelson, British Columbia, says that a stringer of ore running from 800 to 3,000 ounces of silver a ton has been opened up on the fifth level of the Ottawa mine, near the town of Kamloops. The streak was first cleared out and was estimated to contain a sackful of ore. By noon, ten mine cars, worth \$5,000, had been taken out of the mine. The streak is one sackful, and which is exposed for 20 feet with a width up to 8 inches.

Rural Credit Societies

Sixty-Seven Are Now in Operation In Manitoba

Sixty-seven Rural Credit Societies are now doing business in Manitoba, several are in process of organization and twenty more are being formed during this year. Officials anticipate that loans aggregating \$2,000,000 will be made this year. Loans to each society were limited by legislation last year to \$60,000. It means more small societies and a division of the larger ones.

Manitoba's policy of assisting farmers in certain districts to establish dairy herds is to be continued, and land, according to a letter received from London by Hon. Valentine Chisholm, provincial minister of agriculture.

A man employed by a London firm of pencil-makers has worked on the same machine for 43 years.

Fools occasionally find opportunities, but few men make them.

Oats or Corn?

Cost of Growing Corn and Oats is Compared

How much more does it cost to grow an acre of corn than to grow an acre of oats? To get a proper comparison it is necessary to take an acre of corn and an acre of oats, both crops are grown successfully. An example has just been brought to the writer's attention of the comparative cost of growing corn and oats on a Minnesota farm. It is furnished by Albert Jumper, a well-known farmer in Cottonwood County, Minn., in an article which appeared in the Cottonwood Citizen.

Mr. Jumper says: "I had a curiosity to know how much it would cost to raise an acre of oats and corn. To find out I kept account during the year of the time required and the cash expended to grow the above mentioned crops." His figures show that it cost him \$31.49 to grow an acre of corn and \$18.13 to grow an acre of oats, or a difference of \$13.36 an acre in favor of oats.

Provided the respective crop yields are not altogether out of proportion to the cost of growing the crop this seems to be a good argument in favor of growing oats. But to grow oats successfully it is not necessary to use \$150 or \$200 land. In Alberta some of the best oat-growing land is available and can be bought for about \$20 an acre. On this land good yields of a high quality grain is obtainable.

Fifty to sixty bushels to the acre in properly prepared land is a fair average yield for oats in Western Canada in a normal season; but yields of up to a hundred bushels, and even more, to the acre, have been frequent in good years. The quality of oats grown in Western Canada is attested by the fact that at all the international exhibitions for many years oats grown in Western Canada have been awarded the leading prizes.

In the record oats grown in Western Canada that have yielded as much as 48 pounds to the measured bushel, and the Dominion Grain Inspector is authority for the analysis that 85 per cent. of the oats examined by him in Alberta weigh more than 42 pounds to the measured bushel. The standard weight for a bushel of oats is 48 pounds.

H. B. Co. to Celebrate 250th Anniversary

Will Feature Festivities

Winnipeg, Man.—Sir Robert Knicker, G.B.E., Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company, is in his own country from England to Western Canada to be present at the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the Company in May.

He will land in New York City, reach Winnipeg May 2, by way of Montreal. Beginning May 3, the celebration will be held in successive order in Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria.

A reception to Sir Robert will be given in Winnipeg by the Governor and will be followed by an historical pageant on the Red River, which will start from the site of old Fort Gibraltar at Lower Fort Garry, eleven miles down stream. Governor Knicker will ride in an old-time "North Canadian" in the procession, which the romance of the pioneer fur trade will be pictured by Indians, trappers and voyageurs in a fleet of York boats and canoes. At Lower Fort Garry, Governor Knicker will renew the ties of ancient friendship between the Hudson's Bay Company and the Indians by smoking the pipe of peace with the tribesmen and conferring upon them medals struck in honor of the anniversary. Speeches will be made by the Governor and Indian orators.

On the second day, the Governor will attend a banquet given by the Old Timers' Association, and on the third he will be the guest of honor at a staff dinner to the employees of the company.

After the festivities at Winnipeg are over, Sir Robert will start on celebrations in the other four cities, in each of which elaborate street pageants will be held. He will be in Regina from May 6 to 8, in Calgary from May 11 to 13, in Vancouver from May 15 to 19 and in Victoria from May 20 to 24.

During his stay in Canada, Sir Robert, who is a director of the Bank of England, and regarded as one of Great Britain's ablest financiers, will meet the leading men in business and industry in the West. Many social functions have been planned for him in the western cities which will afford him this opportunity.

By means of an instrument invented by Dr. J. S. Owens, secretary of the British Committee for the Investigation of Atmospheric Pollution, it is possible to record and measure the dirt in the air over a town at any and every hour.

Salmon Reported Plentiful in Fraser

B. C. Fishermen Expect to Have A Profitable Season's Catch

Spring salmon fishing is now in full swing on the Fraser River, and about the fishermen are as busy as ever in this industry. Never in the last four years have salmon been so plentiful as at present, and not for many years have the fishermen received such high prices for their fish. The run has not only started much earlier in the year, but the demand appears to be keeping up well with the supply. The fish are being shipped to the New York market at present, and will continue to be shipped there until about the first of May, or until the Columbia River springs start to run. As soon as these commence, the British Columbia fish lose their very profitable market. There is still the Eastern Canada market for fresh fish and also the canneries on the river will commence to can red salmon.

Some of the experienced fishermen and a number of the canners, in view of the splendid run of spring fish this year, are inclined to think that the sockeye run will also be a great success. Under the ordinary conditions there should be very little sockeye fish this year, this being the lean year, preceding the big run of 1921. As stated, however, many are very optimistic of the general outlook for this season. The sockeye season does not close until July, and it is usually well toward August that the run is at its height.

"Fishermen's luck" enters into the daily life of the professional fisherman. Last week, Jim Cronin, an Indian fisherman, landed a sturgeon of the year, measuring nine and a half feet long. With the price of sturgeon at 15 cents per lb. he added \$74.40 to his day's earnings. In 1910, Jimmy Buey, another well-known fisherman caught an 18 foot sturgeon in the Fraser, which tipped the scales at 1,600 pounds. This latter fish was exhibited at the time of the provincial exhibition.

Demand Cash Payment

Germany Also Insists on France, Not Marks

Paris—Former President Poincaré, writing in the Revue des Deux Mondes of the financial situation in France speaks optimistically of the future of the franc. He emphasizes the need of sheding off industrial trade and of an adequate supply of coal for the nation's industries.

Poincaré speaks especially upon the success which he says has attended the peculiar means employed by Germany to obtain the troubled franc. He refers to the Ruhr district to restrict shipment of coal and excite the city of the allies, especially England and America, and to the French devastated regions. If Poincaré has the methods the Germans employed towards man and land in the French devastated regions. If payment is offered Germany in marks they take it as an insult, some insisting on receiving payment in Swiss francs and others in French francs. Payments are extracted in cash, moreover in advance, against mere manifests of goods shipped, which are thus transported at the entire risk of the buyers, with no claims for reimbursement admitted on any ground. There are three quarters as to date of delivery, price or quality.

Opposed Chinese Labor

Regina Board of Trade Would Not Take Down Bars

The Board of Trade of Regina has set itself in decided opposition to the Chinese laborers coming to the board at Weyburn, Saskatchewan, suggesting that Oriental immigration under certain restrictions be encouraged for the purpose of securing labor for the railways and the farms. There was not a member who had a good word to say for the proposal, and many entered strenuous objections to any such plan, saying that it was preferable to try and induce natives and far laborers to emigrate from Great Britain.

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HOUSEKEEPER WANTED, Apply Gardiner, Box 20, Strathmore. 11-4

WANTED, young man to learn sign painting and to make himself generally useful in the trade. Work till freeze-up. Apply Luck, Strathmore. 11-4

FOR SALE, Oak Buffet and Mahogany Parlor Table, both first-class pieces of furniture, as good as new, to be seen at residence of Dr. A. W. Girvin. 11-4

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FOR RENT, T. M. Woods, Barstler, has for rent a building on First Street suitable for a workshop. 15-2-10 11-4

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Regular meetings, Monday, on or before the full moon.

Next meeting Monday, May 1st

H. F. McDonald, Secy. S. O. Lones, W. M. Master

Read the Photograph Contest in another page.

TOWN OF STRATHMORE ASSESSMENT ROLL 1922

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the Town of Strathmore for the year 1922 has been prepared and is now open to inspection at the office of the Assessor, in the afternoon on every day which is not a public holiday except Saturday (and on that day from 10 o'clock in the morning to 12 o'clock noon), and that any taxpayer who desires to object to the assessment to himself or any other person must by May 25th lodge his complaint in writing at this office.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1922.

F. R. LILLY, Assessor.

Strathmore is getting famous through its experiences with "pale" hick. At a recent hearing of a case in chambers before one of the Supreme Court Judges, the character of a local man was questioned, and after having said some details, the Judge laughed, "And are you thinking of appointing him town police?"

District News Items

Cheadle Notes

Spelling is in full swing; nearly every one is through with their wheat.

Billy Cluff is home for a few days but his eye is not all right yet. He goes back to the doctor on Tuesday.

Tom Cluff has gone to work at Kaitik, Alta. for the C.P.R.

Mr Buckton and family have moved to town from Frank Snyder's.

Miss Mollie O'Grady spent a few days with her sister Nona in Calgary. The roads in this district are getting in good shape again.

The Potato Crop

(Experimental) Farm Notes

The potato is one of our most important food crops, and yet it is one that often does not receive the attention it should. It is the practice of many farmers to leave the planting of potatoes until practically all other crop is in. With the exception of, perhaps, some part of the May time Province this late planting means a much smaller yield than there would be if the planting were done before the middle of May. By the end of May or beginning of June the seed potatoes have sprouted so much that when they are broken off at planting time the new shoots want come on with the same vigour as they did in the season. Furthermore it is of the greatest importance to use good seed. Two lots of seed of the same variety which look very much alike may give a difference of three hundred or more bushels per acre in the crop, as has been shown in experiments at the Experimental Farm, Ottawa. In 1918, for instance, one lot of Irish Cobbler yielded at the rate of 278 bushels per acre and another 27 bushels per acre. The best Green Mountain seed yielded 230 bushels per acre and one of the poorest 18 bushels per acre.

It is possible one should know where the seed was grown the previous year that he is about to use if it came from the crop, the plants of which grew vigorously until cut down by frost, then, if free from disease, it will, as a rule, yield a much better crop than it is from a crop, the plants of which withered in the middle of the summer and the tubers lay in the hot soil the rest of the season. This year when the price of potatoes is so high there will be a temptation to use many potatoes for seed. If these small potatoes come from a good crop the previous year the results are likely to be satisfactory. If the season is favourable, but if they are from a small crop the previous year when the plants died up early the plants this year are likely to be weak and the yield not very good. Good sized sets of from one and a half to two ounces have been found the best all-rounders, taking one year with another, although if the season is particularly favourable smaller sets will produce a good crop, but one cannot tell what the season will be, hence it is better to be on the safe side.

The distance of planting which has been found most economical in most places in Canada is, rows two and a half or three feet apart and set twelve to fourteen inches apart in the rows. While quite shallow planting has been given the highest average yield at Ottawa, it is necessary to plant about four inches deep for yield culture to enable one to harrow before the potatoes are up without pulling up the sets. The varieties which have been most satisfactory in Canada are Irish Cobbler as an early potato and Green Mountain as a main crop or later variety. Other varieties which are to be distinguished from Green Mountain and are included in the Green Mountain group are Gold Coin, Uncle Sam, Woe MacIntyre and Irish Wonder. The Dooley of the Rural group has done well in the warmer parts of Ontario, and in most climates Burbank is also popular.

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Strathmore Locals

Mr Shand of Calgary was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin for the week end.

Dalemead Doings

Items of News from a Flourishing Community

The Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. are tearing down their old elevator at Dalemead, preparatory to erecting a larger one to serve the shipping needs of the district.

Mr. J. H. Dixon's cash grocery store is attracting a lot of business from points at considerable distance from Dalemead, and he finds the publicity he is giving his store is bringing good results.

Seeding in this district is progressing well, and with the continuance of favorable weather the crop will come ahead very rapidly. Farmers are very optimistic about the outlook.

Consensus Vok of Strathmore views Dalemead last week in the course of the patrol of his district.

Much regret is being expressed at the postponing departure of Mr. T. F. Land, who we understand is leaving in June to take over the charge of the Mr. Land during his stay in the district, proved himself a first-class man, and was greatly liked.

Dalemead proposes to enter the field with a baseball team whenever the seeding season is over, and don't expect to play second fiddle to any team in the district.

Mr. L. McKinnon returned last week from a visit to Calgary.

Cattle throughout the district have come through the winter in good shape, and there have been no losses despite the severity of the winter.

Dalemead's new community hall is being taken full advantage of by residents of the district, and people are coming in for quite a long way by the functions held there. There is a project on foot to install an electric light plant in the hall, which will enable moving pictures to be given.

Dalemead is one of the finest examples of a real community spirit in the whole province, and it shows a good example to larger points in the progress spirit, cultivated, here by farmers and merchants.

Canada's Population

Canada's next census is likely to show a population for Canada of considerably over nine million people. These figures are based on the latest estimates published by the departmental statisticians, give the population of the Dominion as 8,852,192. While these estimates in the past have proven approximately correct, it is pointed out that they covered a period which ended on March 31st 1919, since that time there has been a great influx of people to Canada.

The major portion of Canada's resources are around the four hundred thousand mark, has returned to Canada from Great Britain, which languished during the war years, having been to a considerable extent. There has also been a considerable movement to the United States. With a return of such a large portion of the male population from overseas the natural increase should be kept in excess of the deficit from 1916 to 1919.

With all these factors considered it would not be surprising if even the estimate of nine millions should be greatly exceeded.

Municipal District of Bow Valley No. 219

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